(Pahari) Korva tribes and Rs. 4.81 lakh was released to NGOs in Chhattisgarh for development of Hill Korva/Pahari Korva.

(c) and (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Non-Utilizaiton of funds under Tribal Development Schemes

2333. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some State Governments have not spent funds allocated under various Tribal Development Schemes;

(b) if so, the name of those States and the quantum of funds not utilized by them; and

(c) the action taken by Government against these States?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. A statement is enclosed. (see below)

(c) the following actions are taken to ensure that funds are utilized timely by States/Union Territories:—

1. Periodic progress reports regarding the status of implementation of schemes are obtained.

2. Central Government officers visit the States/UTs for ascertaining on the spot, the progress of implementation of schemes;

3. Meetings/Conferences are convened at central level with State Secretaries of Tribal Welfare to ensufe timely submission of proposals for the release of funds and to speed up implementation of schemes.

4. The Finance Departments of State Governments are also asked to release funds in time to implementing agencies.

Statement

State-wise details of unspent funds allocate under various Tribal Schemes

(Rupees in lakhs)

S.No.	States	Unutilised Amounts for the Last Three Years, upto 2000-2001
1.	Andhra Pradesh	2444.91
2.	Assam	1892.92
3.	Bihar	8113.26
4.	Gujarat	3721.72
5.	Himachal Pradesh	401.97
6.	J&K	609.76
7.	Karanataka	257.05
8.	Kerala	422.08
9.	Madhya Pradesh	4721.61
10.	Maharashtra	874.50
11.	Manipur	1126.50
12.	Meghalaya	691.75
13.	Mizoram	392.12
14.	Nagaland	1118.40
15.	Orissa	3114,63
16.	Rajasthan	2295.37
17.	Sikkim	152.10
18.	Tamil Nadu	650.92
19.	Tripura	254.50
20.	UP	252.27
21.	West Bengal	300.00
22.	Jharkhand	4742.62
23.	Chhattisgarh	1322.30
24.	Uttaranchal	104.92
25.	Arunachal Pradesh	189.20
26.	A&N Islands	233.58
27.	Daman & Diu	145.50
	TOTAL:	40546.46